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MAY 18 (CORRECTED TEXT)

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VOA MUNICH ATTN: MR. HALSEY

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MR. CHANCELLOR. LADIES AND GENTLEMEN. I WOULD LIKE TO EXPRESS
MY PLEASURE AT BEING IN VIENNA. THE FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN THE UNITED
STATES AND AUSTRIA MEANS A GREAT DEAL TO US AND THE INDEPENDENCE AND
NEUTRALITY OF AUSTRIA ARE FIRM PRINCIPLES OF AMERICAN FOREIGN POLICY.
I HAVE COME TO VIENNA TO MEET WITH THE SOVIET FOREIGN MINISTER.
THE PROBLEMS THAT CONCERN THE SOVIET UNION AND THE UNITED
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STATES AFFECT THE PEACE OF THE WORLD AND THE WELL BEING OF MANKIND.

WE WILL MAKE EVERY EFFORT TO IMPROVE PROSPECTS FOR PEACE.
THE UNITED STATES, WHILE FIRMLY DETERMINED TO DEFEND ITS
PRINCIPLES, ITS INTERESTS AND THE PRINCIPLES AND INTERESTS
OF ITS ALLIES, WILL MAKE EVERY EFFORT TO BRING ABOUT A
MORE CONCILIATORY AND MORE PEACEFUL WORLD, AND I HOPE THAT
MY TALKS WITH THE SOVIET FOREIGN MINISTER WILL HELP IN THIS
EFFORT.
I WOULD LIKE TO TAKE THIS OCCASION TO TELL CHANCELLOR KREISKY
HOW MUCH WE HAVE APPRECIATED HIS VISIT TO THE
UNITED STATES, AND HOW MUCH WE HAVE ALWAYS VALUED HIS
FRIENDSHIP AND ADVICE.
THE PRESIDENT LOOKS FORWARD TO SEEING HIM IN SALZBURG IN
TWO WEEKS. I THINK IT IS A SYMBOL OF THE IMPORTANCE OF
AUSTRIA, AS A NEUTRAL INDEPENDENT STATE, THAT THESE MEETINGS
SHOULD BE TAKING PLACE IN SUCH A SHORT PERIOD IN THIS
COUNTRY.
I LOOK FORWARD TO MY STAY IN AUSTRIA.
THANK YOU.KISSINGER

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